

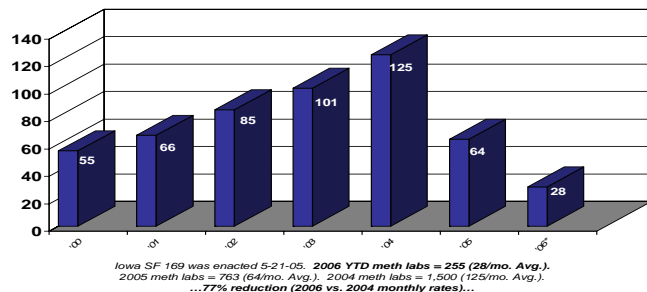
Successes

➔ Meth lab incidents in Iowa have declined about 77%, averaging 28/month in 2006 vs. 125/month in 2004.

Meth Lab Incident Responses in Iowa, CYs '94-'06 YTD (Iowa DPS)

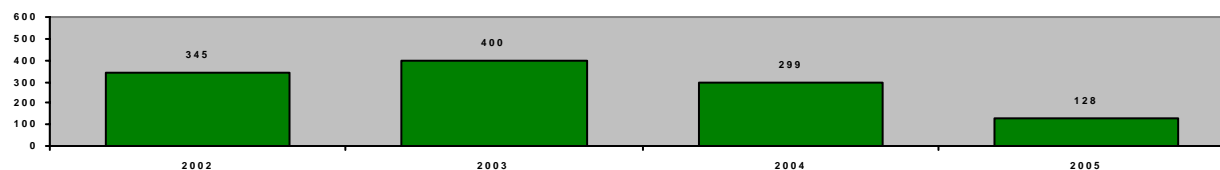
Iowa Meth Lab Monthly Averages

*Preliminary Reports to Iowa DPS/DNE, updated as of 8-31-06



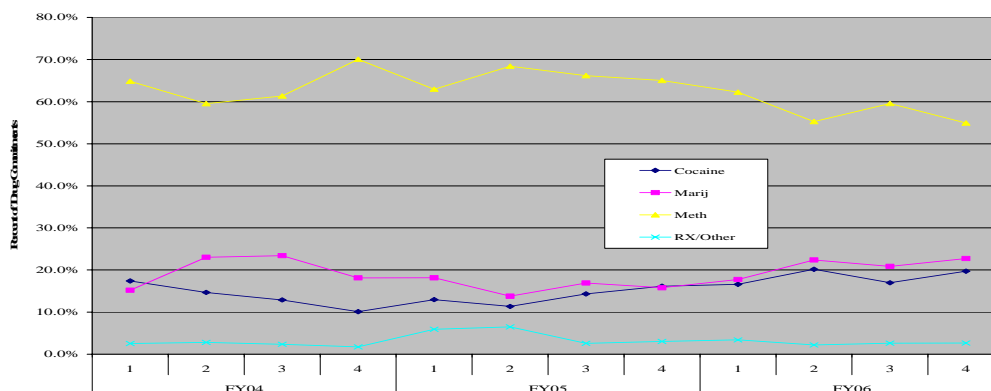
➔ The number of children classified as victims of abuse due to meth labs & precursors is declining.

Confirmed Child Abuse Cases: Meth Manufacturing in Presence of Minor CYs '02-'05 (Iowa DHS)



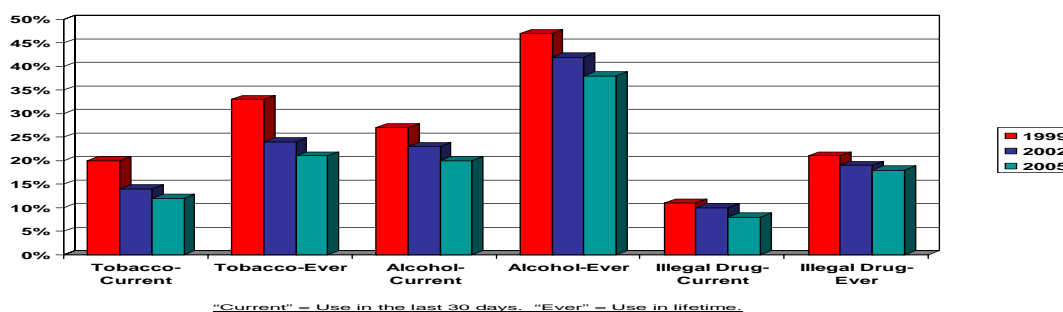
➔ Drug-related prison admissions, led by reductions in meth cases, have declined for the 2nd straight year.

Drugs Involved in Prison Commitments, by Quarter (Iowa DHR, CJJP)



➔ Three recent Iowa Youth Surveys show steady drops in substance use among 6th, 8th & 11th grade students.

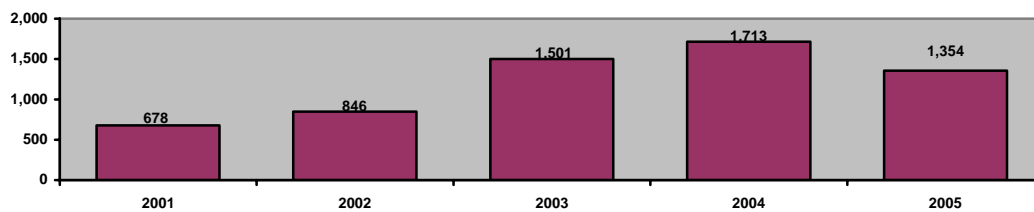
Iowa Youth Surveys 1999-2005 (RISE, ISU)



Challenges

- ➔ Over **6,000** cases of abuse involving drug-affected children (illegal drugs in system) were reported in the last five years.

Confirmed Child Abuse Cases: Presence of Illegal Drugs in Child's Body CYs '01-'05 (Iowa DHS)



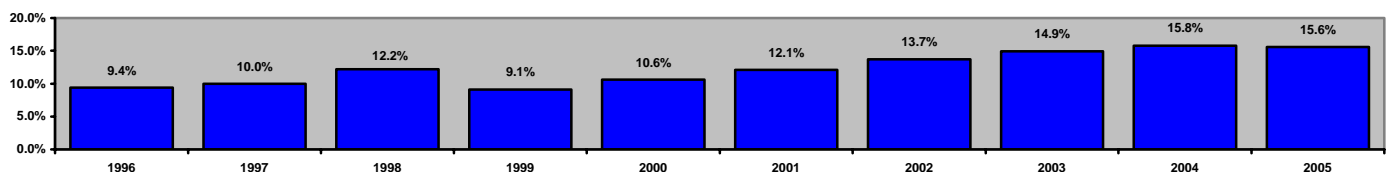
- ➔ Meth was involved in at least **49%** of open child abuse cases reviewed in SW Iowa in August 2005 (Iowa DHS).
- ➔ Authorities report a rise in "Ice," a more potent form of meth smuggled into Iowa from Mexico and other states.

Crime Lab Analysis of Meth Items Seized by Category CYs '01-'05 (Iowa DPS)

Year	Crystal Meth/"Ice"	Powdered Meth	Average Meth Purity
2001	1	6,488	27%
2002	3	7,031	27%
2003	24	8,444	23%
2004	333	6,509	33%
2005	2,025	4,572	54%

- ➔ Meth & meth precursor offenses made up **62%** of new drug crime prison admissions in SFY 2004 (Iowa DOC).
- ➔ In SFY 2004, **39%** of new male prisoners & **47%** of new female prisoners had histories of meth use (Iowa DOC).
- ➔ Iowa has the nation's **8th** highest rate of meth use, and the **6th** highest rate of smoked meth (2004 US Dep't. HHS).

% Iowa Adults in Treatment w/Meth as Primary Drug of Abuse FYs '96-'05 (Iowa DPH)



- ➔ Over **75%** of correctional offenders need treatment, but only about half get it (Iowa DOC & MECCA, SFY 2001).
- ➔ Of Iowa youth seeking treatment, **52%** cited marijuana as their primary substance of abuse (Iowa DPH, SFY 2005).
- ➔ **Alcohol** is the substance most abused by Iowans, followed by marijuana & meth...per treatment admissions & screens.

Primary Substance of Abuse Trends Among Youth and Adults FYs '92-'05 (Iowa DPH)

Year	Alcohol	Marijuana	Methamphetamine	Cocaine	Heroin	Other	Total Clients
1992	85%	7.0%	1.0%	5%	0.5%	1.5%	22,471
1993	82%	9.0%	1.3%	5%	0.7%	2.0%	22,567
1994	78%	11.0%	2.2%	6%	0.8%	4.0%	25,328
1995	69%	14.3%	7.3%	6%	0.7%	2.7%	29,377
1996	64%	18.1%	9.1%	6%	0.5%	1.8%	33,269
1997	62.5%	19.3%	9.6%	6.3%	0.6%	1.7%	38,297
1998	60%	20%	12.0%	6%	0.5%	1.5%	38,347
1999	63%	20%	8.3%	5.6%	0.5%	1.3%	40,424
2000	62.3%	20.9%	9.4%	5.4%	0.5%	1.5%	43,217
2001	60.5%	22.2%	10.7%	4.6%	0.5%	1.5%	44,147
2002	58.5%	22.7%	12.3%	4.2%	0.5%	1.8%	42,911
2003	57.5%	21.8%	13.4%	4.6%	0.6%	1.9%	40,925
2004	55.6%	22.7%	14.6%	4.7%	0.6%	1.8%	42,449
2005	55.8%	22.4%	14.4%	5.0%	0.6%	1.9%	43,673